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Associate of Arts in Biology Direct Transfer Agreement Program Requirements 2011-2012

Student Name _____
Student ID _____

Program Description The Biology DTA/MRP degree consists of a minimum of **98.5** quarter credits earned in General Requirements, Distribution Requirements and Electives. This pathway is applicable to students planning to prepare for upper division Bachelor's degree majors in Biology and is designed for students wishing to transfer to Central Washington University, Eastern Washington University, The Evergreen State College, University of Washington, Seattle, Washington State University, Pullman, Western Washington University, Saint Martin's University, Seattle University, and Whitworth University. For more information about the DTA and transferring to a 4-year college, visit: <http://transferdegrees.edcc.edu>

Degree Outcomes Outcomes for Edmonds Community College degrees and certificates can be found in the online college catalog at the bottom of each degree or certificate. To find specific outcomes, click on the degree or certificate from the program list in the online catalog at <http://catalog.edcc.edu>.

Common Course Numbering Changes Please refer to www.edcc.edu/ccn for more information.

Credit/Grade Requirements Students are required to maintain a minimum cumulative grade point average of at least 2.0 in all college-level courses and earn at least 30 college-level (100 level or above) credits at Edmonds Community College. At some 4-year colleges, a 2.0 is not sufficient for admission into the major

Intermediate Algebra Proficiency This requirement may be satisfied by completion of high school mathematics through second year algebra, completion of MATH 090, the sequence MATH 091 and MATH 092 or MATH 095. NOTE: High school transcripts are not used to determine placement into courses which have an intermediate algebra prerequisite.

Cultural Diversity Students pursuing an AA degree must meet the 5-credit Cultural Diversity requirement by completing courses marked as “:CD” on the requirement sheet and/or “Meets Cultural Diversity Requirement” in the quarterly class schedule. Those courses may also be used to fulfill other requirements of the degree.

Students Are Advised To

- Consult with a science faculty adviser quarterly
- Depending on the type of biology degree and long-term academic goals, some students may be best advised to complete the Associate of Science Track 1 degree instead of this AA in Biology. Consult with a faculty advisor to determine which degree best suites your goals
- Admission application deadlines vary; students must meet the deadline for the university or universities to which they plan to apply for transfer admission
- Before transferring to a four-year institution, you should consult with the appropriate department at the intended transfer school for “university specific” requirements that are not prerequisites to admission to the Biology major but will need to be completed prior to graduation
- Certain schools may have additional “university specific” requirements for admission to the institution that are not prerequisites specifically identified in the DTA requirements
- Review the college catalog and quarterly class schedules for required course prerequisites and include these in schedule planning
- At least three quarters before you plan to graduate, contact any college(s) where you have earned credits and have your official transcript(s) sent to Edmonds Community College
- Submit an “Evaluation Request—Transfer Credits” form (available in Enrollment Services) to activate the process of transferring credits to Edmonds Community College
- For more information or to schedule an advising appointment call 425-640-1458

Graduation Application A completed Graduation Application form must be submitted to Enrollment Services by the 10th day of the quarter in which the student expects to graduate. Forms are available at Enrollment Services located in Lynnwood Hall, or online at www.edcc.edu/credentials/

College Resources

EdCC Home Page	http://www.edcc.edu
How to Enroll	http://es.edcc.edu
Transfer Center	http://transfer.edcc.edu
College Bookstore	http://bookstore.edcc.edu
Advising appointments	425-640-1458

Distribution Requirements List

A. Humanities

American Sign Language	&121, &122, &123, &221, &222, &223
Arabic	121, 122, 123, 221, 222, 223
Art	&100, 111, 112, 113, 126, 127, 128, 129, 130, 155, 225, 255
Chinese	&121, &122, &123
Communications	101
Communication Studies	&101, &210, 215, &220, 225, &230, 235
Diversity Studies	157, 215, 257
Drama	&101
English	110, &111, 120, 125, 140, 141, 142, 151, 152, 155, 160, 161, 162, 165, 170, 171, 185, &220, &244, &245, &246, 255, 275, 276
French	&121, &122, &123, 210, &221, &222, &223
German	&121, &122, &123, 220
Humanities	101, 105, 106, 108, 109, 120, 201, 202, 210, 220, 230, 235, 255
Japanese	&121, &122, &123, &221, &222, &223
Journalism	125, 126, 135, 225
Music	101, 102, 103, &105, 106, 107, 126, &141, &142, &143, &241, &242, &243
Philosophy	&101
Spanish	&121, &122, &123, &221, &222, &223, 230

Performance/Skills Courses

Art	101, 102, 103, 150, 151, 152, 153, 170, 171, 172, 173, 175, 176, 177, 180, 181, 226
Drama	151, 152, 153, 251, 252, 253
Music	111, 112, 113, 114, 115, 116, 117, 118, 119, 133, 134, 135, 147, 148, 149, 160, 161, 162, 170, 171, 172, 173, 185, 186, 187, 211, 212, 213, 214, 215, 216, 217, 218, 219, 247, 248, 249, 260, 261, 262, 270, 271, 272, 273, 285, 286, 287
Photography	101, 102, 103

C. Social Sciences

Anthropology	&100, &104, 130, 155, 201, 202, 203, &206, &210, &215, &216, 255, 271
Business	&101
Diversity Studies	100, 117, 118, 119, 125, 130, 150, 151, 156, 200, 256
Economics	130, 140, 150, 155, &201, &202, 255
Geography	&100, 130, 140, 150, 207
History	104, 105, 106, 111, 112, &116, &117, &118, &146, &147, &148, 155, &214, 215, 230, 246, 248, 255
International Studies	200, 201, 202
Philosophy	&101, &106, 110, 155, 198, 255, 267, 298
Political Science	&101, 155, &200, &201, &202, &203, &204, 206, 210, 220, 224, 255
Psychology	&100, &200, 208, &220, 290
Social Science	155, 255
Sociology	&101, 115, 118, 125, 130, 150, 200, &201, 214
Women's Studies	200

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Planning Notes

Course	Credit	Grade	Qtr
I. General Requirements (Minimum 18 Credits)			
Written Skills (10 credits)			
ENGL& 101	5	_____	_____
ENGL& 102	5	_____	_____
Quantitative Reasoning (5 Credits) (Planning Note 1)			
MATH& 151 or MATH& 146	5	_____	_____
HLTH/PE (3 Credits)			
HLTH 100 OR	3	_____	_____
HLTH 105 OR	4	_____	_____
HLTH 150 OR	3	_____	_____
PE	3	_____	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> Cultural Diversity requirement met (See pg. 1)			
<input type="checkbox"/> Algebra Proficiency requirement met (See pg. 1)			
II. Distribution Requirements (65.5 Credits) A maximum of 10 credits in any one department/ discipline may be included in the 65.5 distribution credits			
A. Humanities (15 Credits) (See Planning Notes 2, 3, 4)			
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B. Natural Sciences and Mathematics (35.5 Credits)			
BIOL& 211/211L	5.5	_____	_____
BIOL& 212/212L	6	_____	_____
BIOL& 213/213L	6	_____	_____
CHEM& 141/151	6	_____	_____
CHEM& 142/152	6	_____	_____
CHEM& 143/153	6	_____	_____
C. Social Sciences (15 Credits) (Planning Note 2)			
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III. Electives (15 credits) (Select 3) (See Planning Note 5) Class choice depends on transfer institution. Choose carefully in consultation with an advisor			
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Quantitative or Symbolic Reasoning

- Students should check with a faculty advisor and the transfer institution to see which requirement is applicable. Some students will need additional math classes. Check with your adviser.

Distribution Requirements

- Students must select from at least three **(3)** departments/disciplines within this distribution area. Recommended courses include ANTH& 215 and SOC 150 or SOC 200 for students interested in human biology or medicine and ECON& 201 for students interested in pharmacy.
- A maximum of five **(5)** credits in Performance/Skills courses may be applied to the Humanities distribution requirement. (Performance/Skills courses are listed under Humanities on the Distribution Requirements List.)
- A maximum of five **(5)** credits in foreign language at the 100 level may be applied to the Humanities distribution requirement.
- Choose from among: MATH& 141, MATH& 142, MATH& 146, MATH& 151, MATH& 152, MATH& 153, CHEM& 241/251, CHEM& 242/252, CHEM& 243/253, PHYS& 121/131, PHYS& 122/132, PHYS& 123/133, PHYS& 221/231, PHYS& 222/232, PHYS& 223/233